

Docket No.: 43890-432 **PATENT** 

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Minoru ARIMURA, et al.

Serial No.: 09/642,784 Group Art Unit: 2684

Filed: August 22, 2000 Examiner: Charles Chow

For: PORTABLE TELEPHONE APPARATUS AND CHANGING METHOD OF

ANSWERING METHOD OF THE SAME

# **AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 14, 2003, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on June 14, 2003, reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendment and remarks.

## IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 1, 2, 4, 6-10, 14 and 16 to read as follows:

1. A portable telephone apparatus having a flip-lid, said portable telephone apparatus comprising:

a radio circuit section for transmitting and receiving a signal to/from a radio base station;

a radio control circuit section for controlling said radio circuit section; and

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Dear Sir:

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	38	40	0	\$18.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	10	10	0	\$84.00 =	\$0.00
		Multiple claims ne	Multiple claims newly presented		
		Fee for extension of time			\$0.00
					\$0.00
		Total of Above Calculations			\$0.00

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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